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The election filed 07-18-03 is not fully responsive. It is incomplete since it did not respond to the election of SPECIES requirement. See page 3 of Paper no. 7.

The election of Group I without traverse (in response to the restriction requirement) is noted.

Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona-fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment.

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